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For: AN MPEG DATA RECORDER INCLUDING
AN MPEG DATA RATE DETECTOR

Examiner: H. R. Jones

LETTER

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Sir:

An Information Disclosure Statement was filed on November 7, 2007 with which JP-9-46390-A was provided and listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449(s). A Japanese Office Action dated September 12, 2006 was also provided.

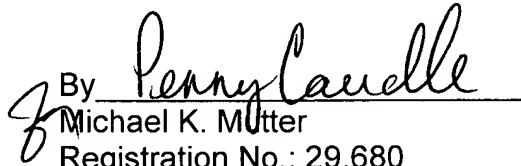
Applicants supplement the previous submission of JP-9-46390-A with the attached Partial Translation and the Japanese Office Action dated September 12, 2006 with the attached English translation.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Penny Caudle (Reg. No. 46,607) at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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Attachments: Partial Translation of JP-9-46390-A
English Translation of Foreign Office Action